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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
BEATRICE SCHAACK, ET AL. : EXAMINER: VIVLEMORE, TRACY A.
SERIAL NO: 10/563,011 :
FILED: JUNE 19, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1635
FOR: SMALL INTERFERING RNA :
SPECIFIC TO SUB-UNITS \$G(A), \$G(A)' :
AND \$G(B) OF THE KINASE PROTEIN :
CK2, AND THE APPLICATIONS OF THE :
SAME

RESPONSE TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed September 25, 2007,
Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, Group 2, Claims 1-15, 17-21, 24, and 25 drawn
to double stranded oligonucleotides targeted to the α , α' or β subunit of human CK2 protein
kinase and further elect SEQ ID No: 26 shown at paragraph c) of Claim 2.

Applicants request that the Examiner expand the search to the non-elected claims of
Groups 1 and 3-8 if the elected Group 2 claims are found allowable.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.